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SUPERZONE

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Time Zone

THE EMERALD HILL ZONE, WHERE SONIC AND AMY ARE ABOUT TO EMBARK ON A NEW ADVENTURE...

THERE'S A GATEWAY TO ONE OF THE NEW ZONES UP AHEAD, AMY!

JUST ONE OF MANY NEW ZONES! WE HAVE TO CHECK THEM OUT IN CASE THEY POSE A DANGER TO THE EMERALD HILL!

GOOD LUCK, GUYS! BRING ME A STICK OF ROCK BACK!

SKRONNKLE!

WOW! WHAT SORT OF PLACE IS THIS?

A ZONE FULL OF SUPER-HEROES!
THAT'S ALL WE NEED!

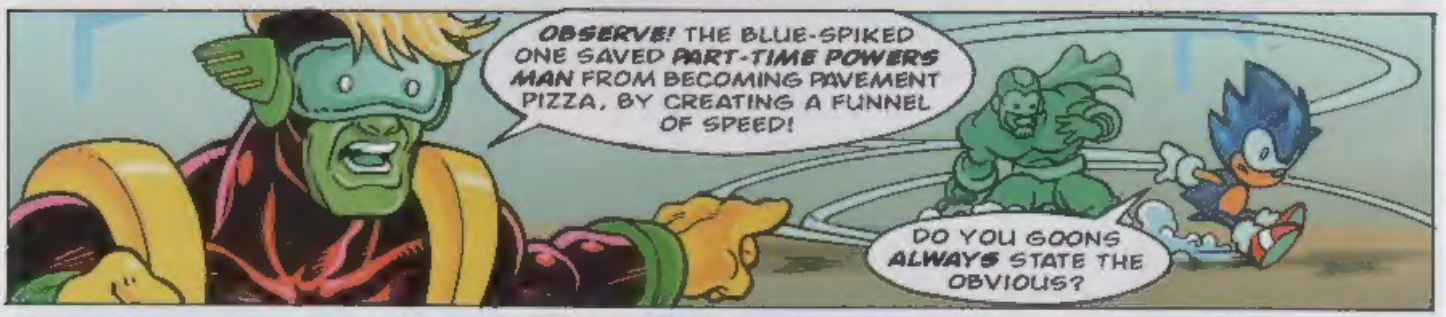
BEHOLD, STRANGERS! I AM MUSCLEMAN, THE MAN WITH THE SIX-PACK STOMACH!
I THINK YOU'VE BEEN NEGLECTING YOUR MIND, MISTER!

HMPH! AND WHAT ARE YOUR SUPER-POWERS, GIRL?
I HAVE SUPER-PATIENCE!

SUDDENLY...
OH NO! MY UNPREDICTABLE FLYING ABILITIES APPEAR TO HAVE TAKEN A LUNCH BREAK!
HELP!

OUT OF MY WAY!
WHOOSH!

WHIZZZ!
WHOA! I'M SLOWING DOWN!

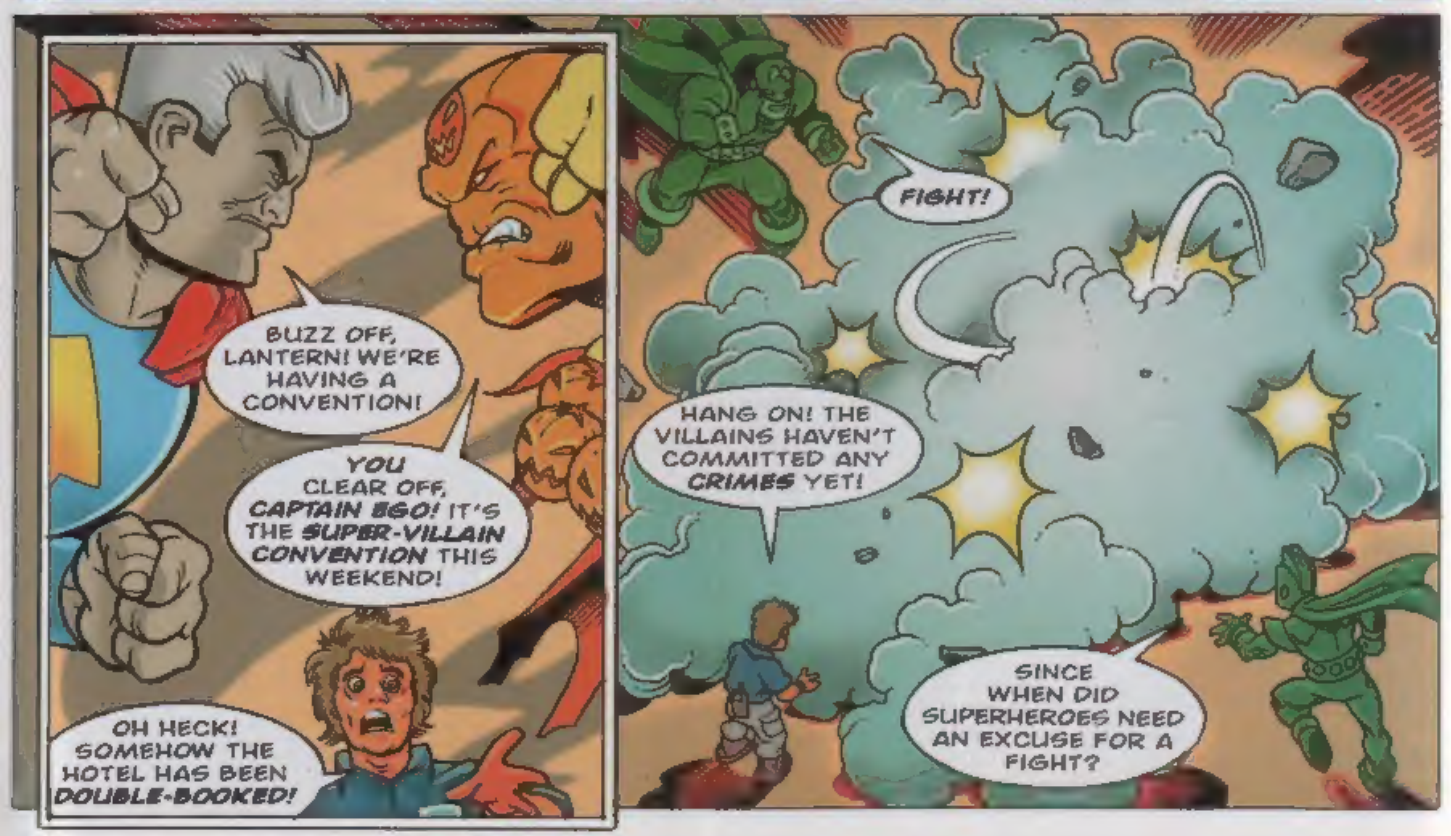

OBSERVE! THE BLUE-SPIKED ONE SAVED PART-TIME POWERS MAN FROM BECOMING PAVEMENT PIZZA, BY CREATING A FUNNEL OF SPEED!
DO YOU GOONS ALWAYS STATE THE OBVIOUS?

WITH SUCH AMAZING SKILLS AS YOURS, YOU MUST JOIN US AT THE SUPER-HEROES CONVENTION THIS EVENING!
WE'RE HERE TO LOOK FOR BAD GUYS, NOT DO-GOODERS!

LATER, THE CONVENTION BEGINS...
GREETINGS, ORGANISER! WHAT'S ON THE TIMETABLE FOR THIS YEAR'S EVENT?

OKAY, FIRST OFF IT'S A DISCUSSION ON "SECRET IDENTITIES: DOES YOUR MOTHER KNOW." THEN IT'S " INVISIBLE MENDING FOR LADDERED TIGHTS"...

SUPERHEROES! WHAT ARE YOU LOT DOING HERE?
SMAASH!
OH NO! IT'S JACKO LANTERN AND THE SUPER VILLAINS!


BUZZ OFF, LANTERN! WE'RE HAVING A CONVENTION!
YOU CLEAR OFF, CAPTAIN EGO! IT'S THE SUPER-VILLAIN CONVENTION THIS WEEKEND!
OH HECK! SOMEHOW THE HOTEL HAS BEEN DOUBLE-BOOKED!
FIGHT!
HANG ON! THE VILLAINS HAVEN'T COMMITTED ANY CRIMES YET!
SINCE WHEN DID SUPERHEROES NEED AN EXCUSE FOR A FIGHT?

CRAASH!
LOOKS LIKE THE CONVENTION'S GOT OUT OF HAND!
HEY! WHAT'S THAT?
A METEOR! AND IT'S ON COURSE FOR DIRECT IMPACT! GOT TO WARN THESE BOZOS!
BREAK IT UP! YOU'RE IN REAL DANGER FROM A METEOR HEADING THIS WAY!
ONE OF YOU FLYING HEROES, ZIP UP THERE AND DESTROY THE METEOR IN SPACE!
COUNT ME OUT! I'M SCARED OF HEIGHTS!
ME TOO!

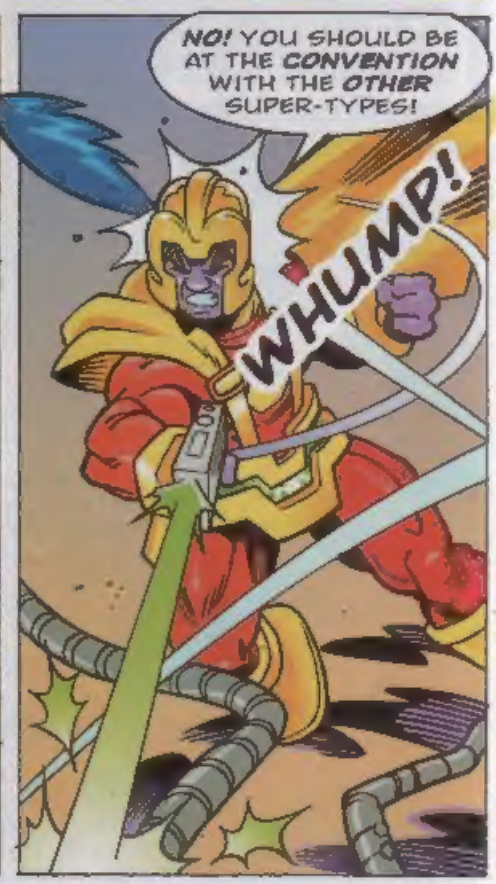
IF ONLY THE EVIL METEOR DESTRUCTION MAN WAS HERE! HE'D THINK OF SOMETHING! METEOR-RELATED DOOMSDAY PLOTS ARE HIS SPECIALITY!

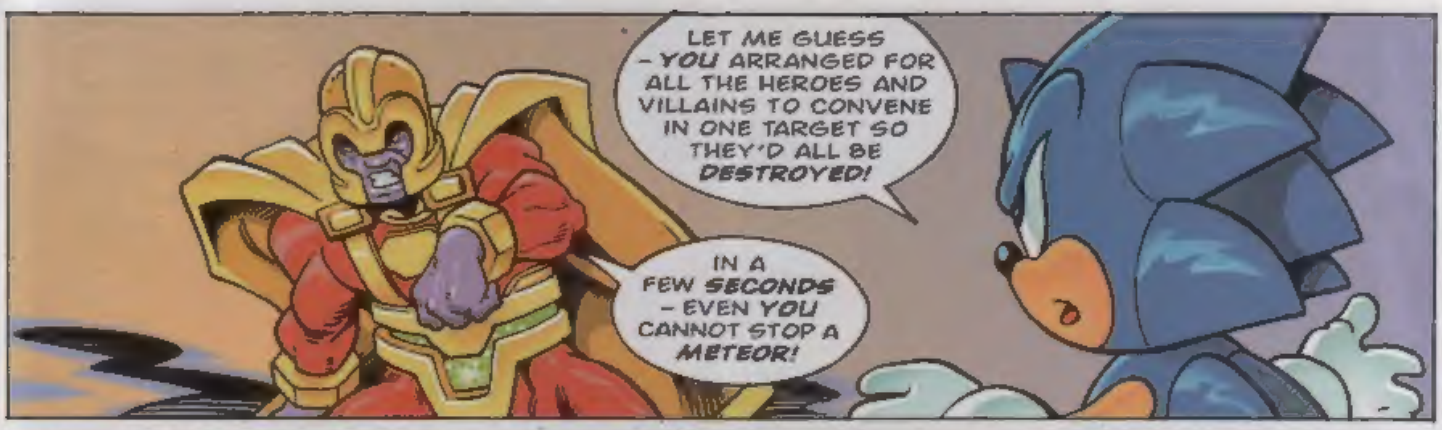
HAS IT OCCURRED TO YOU THAT HE MIGHT BE BEHIND THIS?
OH!

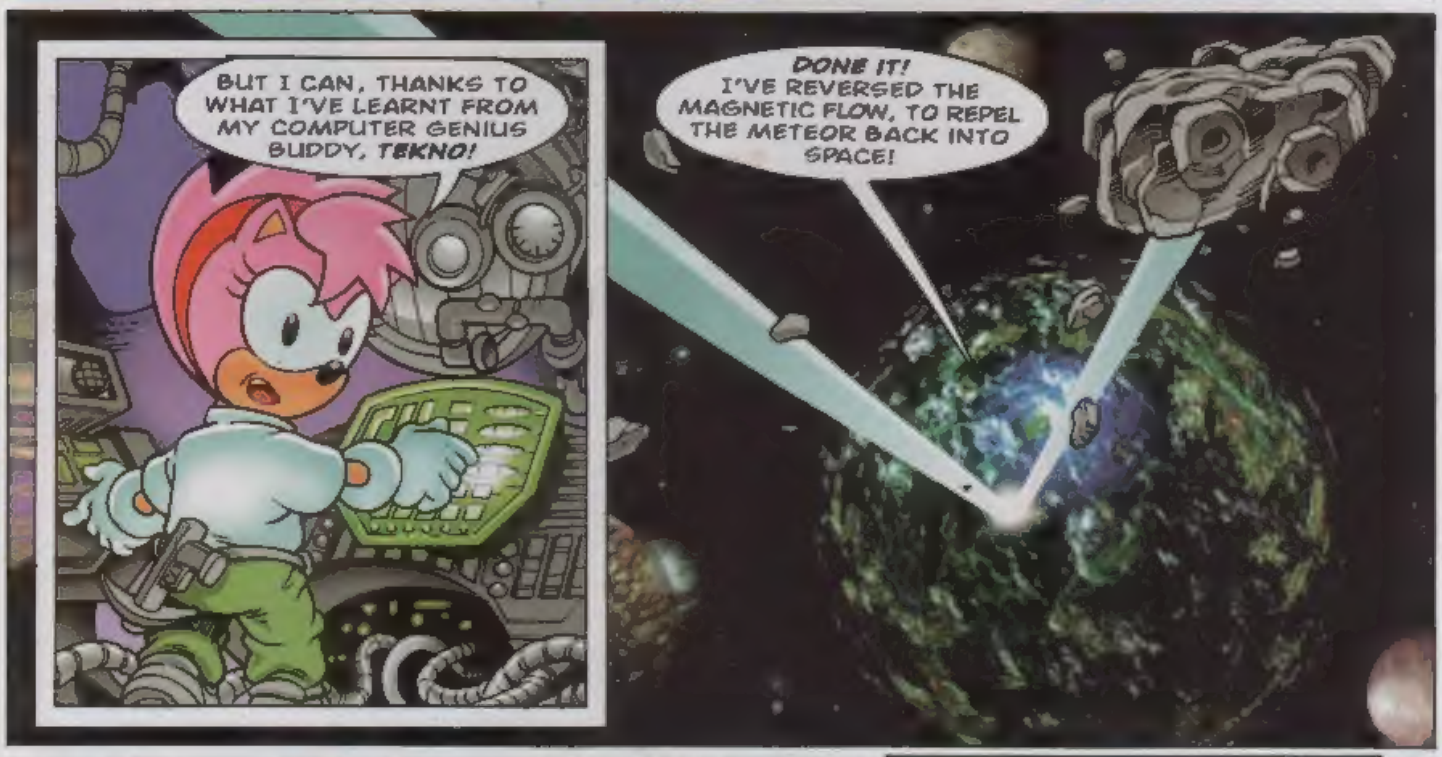
LOOKS LIKE WE'VE FOUND OUR BAD GUY. NOW WE'VE GOT TO FIND HIS HIDEOUT - FAST!

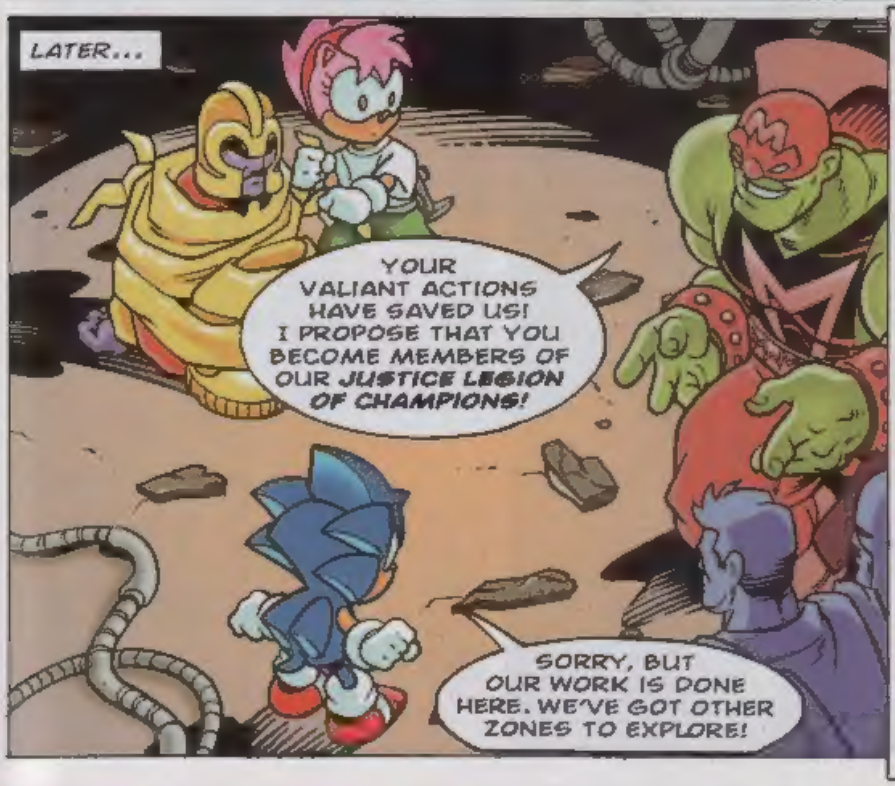
A GIANT MAGNET ON THE ROOF! THIS MUST BE IT!

CRASH!


NO! YOU SHOULD BE AT THE CONVENTION WITH THE OTHER SUPER-TYPES!
WHUMP!


LET ME GUESS – YOU ARRANGED FOR ALL THE HEROES AND VILLAINS TO CONVENE IN ONE TARGET SO THEY'D ALL BE DESTROYED!
IN A FEW SECONDS – EVEN YOU CANNOT STOP A METEOR!


BUT I CAN, THANKS TO WHAT I'VE LEARNT FROM MY COMPUTER GENIUS BUDDY, TEKNO!
DONE IT! I'VE REVERSED THE MAGNETIC FLOW, TO REPEL THE METEOR BACK INTO SPACE!


LATER...
YOUR VALIANT ACTIONS HAVE SAVED US! I PROPOSE THAT YOU BECOME MEMBERS OF OUR JUSTICE LEGION OF CHAMPIONS!
SORRY, BUT OUR WORK IS DONE HERE. WE'VE GOT OTHER ZONES TO EXPLORE!

JUST AS WELL, SONIC ...YOU'D LOOK RIDICULOUS IN TIGHTS!
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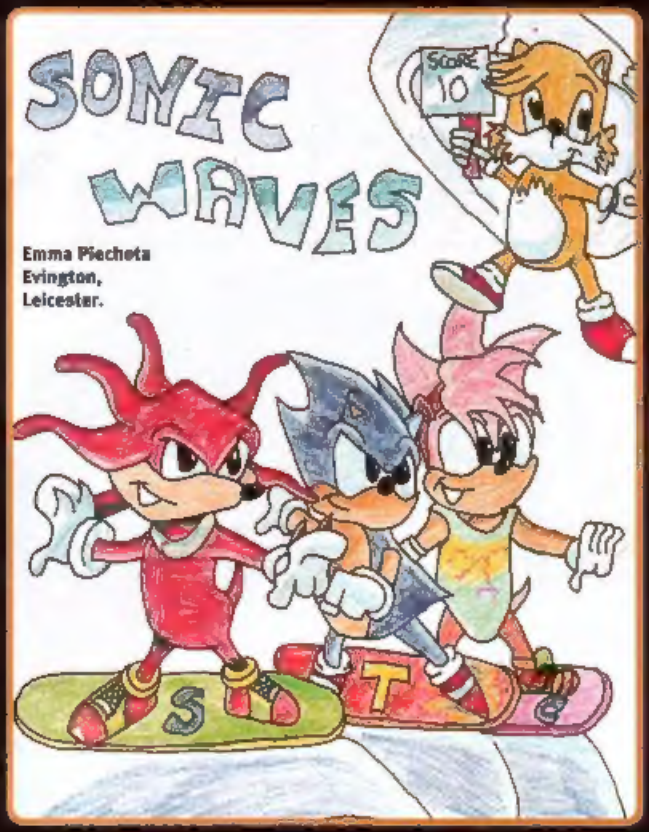

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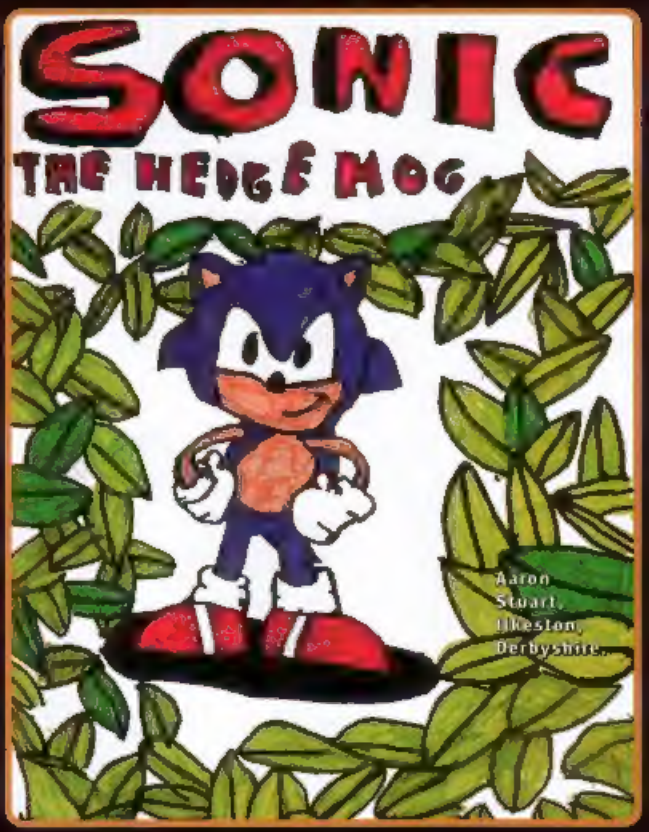

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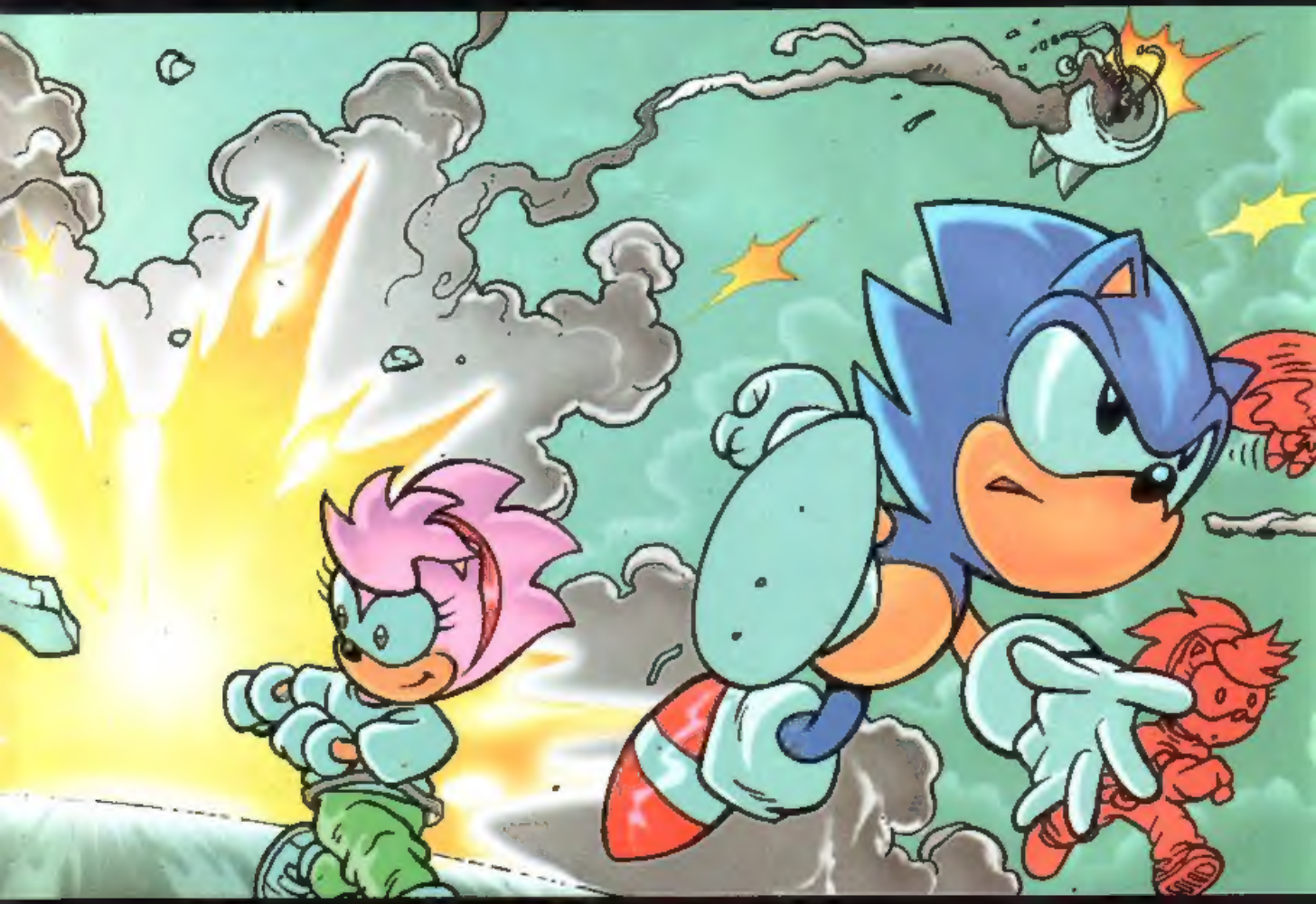

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